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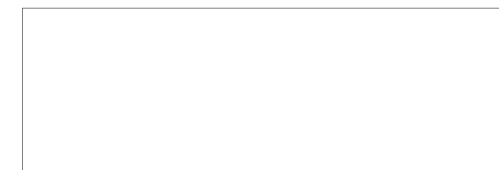
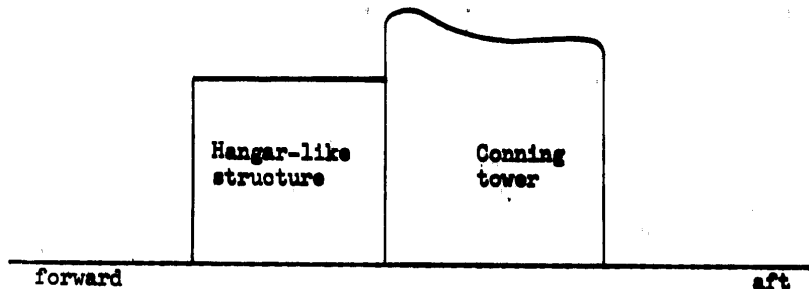
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1. At 0300 on 25 May 1955, there was a submarine in position N69-44, E34-04 underway on a northerly heading at a speed of about 12 knots. It was large and the conning tower was about amidships. It had a strange hangar-like structure forward of the conning tower. (see sketch).
2. At 0500 on the same day, informant observed the tripod masts of three large vessels close up under Kildin Island.

Sketch of superstructure of submarine observed in the Barents Sea



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